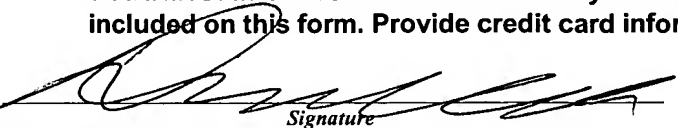


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Applicant(s): Abdel-Hadi et al.					
Application No. 10/626,872	Filing Date July 25, 2003	Examiner J.A. Dillon, Jr.	Customer No. 000181	Group Art Unit 3651	Confirmation No. 9779
Invention: Flexible Screw Feeder/Mixer for Precision Dosing and Feeding for Particulate Systems					
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Sir:

In response to the official letter dated November 23, 2004, please reconsider the above-captioned application in light of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

